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The message further announced that the House has passed the following bill, with an amendment:

S. 1663. An act to replace certain Coastal Barrier Resources System maps.

#### ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

At 1:25 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Ms. Niland, one of its reading clerks, announced that the Speaker, during the recess of the Senate, had signed the following enrolled bills:

H.R. 1822. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3751 West 6th Street in Los Angeles, California, as the "Dosan Ahn Chang Ho Post Office".

H.R. 2130. An act to redesignate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 121 Kinderkamack Road in River Edge, New Jersey, as the "New Bridge Landing Post Office".

H.R. 2438. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 115 West Pine Street in Hattiesburg, Mississippi, as the "Major Henry A. Commiskey, Sr. Post Office Building".

H.R. 3029. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 255 North Main Street in Jonesboro, Georgia, as the "S. Truett Cathy Post Office Building".

H.R. 3059. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 304 West Michigan Street in Stuttgart, Arkansas, as the "Lloyd L. Burke Post Office".

H.R. 3068. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2055 Siesta Drive in Sarasota, Florida, as the "Brigadier General (AUS-Ret.) John H. McLain Post Office".

H.R. 3234. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 14 Chestnut Street in Liberty, New York, as the "Ben R. Gerow Post Office Building".

H.R. 3300. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 15500 Pearl Road in Strongsville, Ohio, as the "Walter F. Ehrnfeldt, Jr. Post Office Building".

H.R. 3353. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 525 Main Street in Tarboro, North Carolina, as the "George Henry White Post Office Building".

H.R. 3536. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 210 Main Street in Malden, Illinois, as the "Army Staff Sgt. Lincoln Hollinsaid Malden Post Office".

H.R. 3537. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 185 State Street in Manhattan, Illinois, as the "Army Pvt. Shawn Pahnke Manhattan Post Office".

H.R. 3538. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 201 South Chicago Avenue in Saint Anne, Illinois, as the "Marine Capt. Ryan Beaupre Saint Anne Post Office".

H.R. 3690. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2 West Main Street in Batavia, New York, as the "Barber Conable Post Office Building".

H.R. 3733. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 410 Huston Street in Altamont, Kansas, as the "Myron V. George Post Office".

H.R. 3740. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 223 South Main Street in Roxboro, North Carolina, as the "Oscar Scott Woody Post Office Building".

H.R. 3769. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 137 East Young High Pike in Knoxville, Tennessee, as the "Ben Atchley Post Office Building".

H.R. 3855. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 607 Pershing Drive in Laclede, Missouri, as the "General John J. Pershing Post Office".

H.R. 3917. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 695 Marconi Boulevard in Copiague, New York, as the "Maxine S. Postal United States Post Office".

H.R. 3939. An act to redesignate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 14-24 Abbott Road in Fair Lawn, New Jersey, as the "Mary Ann Collura Post Office Building".

H.R. 3942. An act to redesignate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 7 Commercial Boulevard in Middletown, Rhode Island, as the "Rhode Island Veterans Post Office Building".

H.R. 4037. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 475 Kell Farm Drive in Cape Girardeau, Missouri, as the "Richard G. Wilson Processing and Distribution Facility".

H.R. 4176. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 122 West Elwood Avenue in Raeford, North Carolina, as the "Bobby Marshall Gentry Post Office Building".

H.R. 4299. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 410 South Jackson Road in Edinburg, Texas, as the "Dr. Miguel A. Nevarez Post Office Building".

The enrolled bills were signed subsequently by the President pro tempore (Mr. STEVENS).

#### MEASURES REFERRED

The following bills were read the first and the second times by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

H.R. 2010. An act to protect the voting rights of members of the Armed Services in elections for the Delegate representing American Samoa in the United States House of Representatives, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2055. An act to amend Public Law 89-366 to allow for an adjustment in the number of free roaming horses permitted in Cape Lookout National Seashore; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

H.R. 3658. An act to amend the Public Health Service Act to strengthen education, prevention, and treatment programs relating to stroke, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

H.R. 4061. An act to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to provide assistance for orphans and other vulnerable children in developing countries; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

H.R. 4323. An act to amend title 10, United States Code, to provide rapid acquisition authority to the Secretary of Defense to respond to combat emergencies; to the Committee on Armed Services.

The following concurrent resolutions were read, and referred as indicated:

H. Con. Res. 62. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that Katherine Dunham should be recognized for her

groundbreaking achievements in dance, theater, music, and education, as well as for her work as an activist striving for racial equality throughout the world; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

H. Con. Res. 63. Concurrent resolutions expressing the sense of Congress that Lionel Hampton should be honored for his contributions to American music; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

H. Con. Res. 260. Concurrent resolution recognizing and honoring the service of those who volunteer their time to participate in funeral honor guards at the interment or memorialization of deceased veterans of the uniformed services of the United States at national cemeteries across the country; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

H. Con. Res. 439. Concurrent resolution honoring the members of the Army Motor Transport Brigade who during World War II served in the trucking operation known as the Red Ball Express for their service and contribution to the Allied advance following the D-Day invasion of Normandy, France; to the Committee on Armed Services.

#### MEASURES PLACED ON THE CALENDAR

The following joint resolution was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and placed on the calendar; pursuant to Public Law 108-61, section 9(c)(2)(B):

H.J. Res. 97. Joint resolution approving the renewal of import restrictions contained in the Burmese Freedom and Democracy Act of 2003.

#### EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, and were referred as indicated:

EC-7920. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Policy, Management, and Budget, Department of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Department's report on Fiscal Year 2003 competitive sourcing efforts under the Consolidated Appropriations Act, Fiscal Year 2004; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

EC-7921. A communication from the Administrator, Energy Information Administration, Department of Energy, transmitting, the Administration's International Energy Outlook 2004 (IEO2004); to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

EC-7922. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting, a draft of proposed legislation, entitled the "Harry S. Truman National Historic Site Boundary Adjustment Act"; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

EC-7923. A communication from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Inspection of Allot 82/182/600 Materials Used in the Fabrication of Pressurizer Penetrations and Stream Space Piping Connections at Pressurized-Water Reactors" (NRC Bulletin 2004-01) received on June 7, 2004; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-7924. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Division of Investment Management, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Disclosure of Breakpoint Discounts by Mutual Funds" (RIN3235-

AI95) received on June 9, 2004; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-7925. A communication from the Acting Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Timber Fertilization Expenses" (Rev. Rul. 2004-62) received on June 9, 2004; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-7926. A communication from the Acting Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Preproduction Costs of Creative Property" (Rev. Rul. 2004-58) received on June 9, 2004; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-7927. A communication from the Acting Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Preproduction Costs of Creative Properties Safe Harbor Amortization" (Rev. Proc. 2004-36) received on June 9, 2004; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-7928. A communication from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, the texts and background statements of international agreements, other than treaties; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-7929. A communication from the Assistant Administrator, Bureau for Legislative and Public Affairs, U.S. Agency for International Development, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Egypt Economic Report to the Congress; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-7930. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to the Arms Export Control Act, the certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles that are firearms sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$1,000,000 or more to Colombia; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-7931. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to the Arms Export Control Act, the certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more to the Republic of Korea and Germany; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-7932. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to the Arms Export Control Act, the certification of a proposed license agreement for the manufacture of significant military equipment abroad and the export of defense articles or defense services in the amount of \$100,000,000 or more to Canada; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-7933. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to the Arms Export Control Act, the certification of a proposed manufacturing license agreement for the manufacture of significant military equipment abroad to Japan and the United Kingdom; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-7934. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to the Arms Export Control Act, the certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$100,000,000 or more to Belgium and The Netherlands; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-7935. A communication from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to

law, the texts and background statements of international agreements, other than treaties; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-7936. A communication from the Inspector General, Railroad Retirement Board, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Board's Semiannual Report to Congress for the period from October 1, 2003 through March 31, 2004; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-7937. A communication from the Staff Director, Commission on Civil Rights, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the Commission's internal control systems and their compliance with the provisions of the Federal Managers Financial Integrity Act; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-7938. A communication from the Chairman, National Science Board, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Office of Inspector General for the period from October 1, 2003 through March 31, 2004; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-7939. A communication from the General Counsel, Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Methods of Withdrawing Funds from the Thrift Savings Plan; Court Orders and Legal Processes Affecting Thrift Savings Plan Accounts; Loan Program; Thrift Savings Plan" received on June 9, 2004; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-7940. A communication from the Auditor of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Audit of Advisory Neighborhood Commission 8D for Fiscal Years 2000 Through 2003, as of March 31, 2003"; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-7941. A communication from the Federal Co-chair, Appalachian Regional Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Office of Inspector General for the period from October 1, 2003 through March 31, 2004; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-7942. A communication from the Chairman, Federal Maritime Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Office of Inspector General for the period from October 1, 2003 through March 31, 2004; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-7943. A communication from the Secretary of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Office of Inspector General for the Department of Commerce from October 1, 2003 through March 31, 2004; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-7944. A communication from the Director, Division for Strategic Human Resources Policy, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Prevailing Rate Systems; Change in Federal Wage System Survey Job" (RIN3206-AJ79) received on June 9, 2004; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-7945. A communication from the Director, Division for Strategic Human Resources Policy, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Computation of Overtime Pay" received on June 9, 2004; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-7946. A communication from the Director, Division for Strategic Human Resources Policy, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Physicians' Comparability Allowances" (RIN3206-AJ96) received on June 9, 2004; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-7947. A communication from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Office's Annual report to Congress on its competitive sourcing accomplishments; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-7948. A communication from the Chairman, National Credit Union Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Office of Inspector General for the period from October 1, 2003 through March 31, 2004; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-7949. A communication from the Administrator, U.S. Agency for International Development, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the office of Inspector General for the period from October 1, 2003 through March 31, 2004; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-7950. A communication from the Secretary of Education, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Office of Inspector General for the Department of Education from October 1, 2003 through March 31, 2004; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. GRASSLEY, from the Committee on Finance, without amendment:

S.J. Res. 39. A joint resolution approving the renewal of import restrictions contained in the Burmese Freedom and Democracy Act of 2003.

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 2518. A bill to amend the Omnibus Low-Level Radioactive Waste Interstate Compact Consent Act to make the consent of Congress to certain compacts contingent on party states sharing the long-term liability for damages caused by radioactive releases from regional facilities; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. MIKULSKI (for herself, Mrs. HUTCHISON, Ms. CANTWELL, Ms. SNOWE, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Ms. COLLINS, Mrs. MURRAY, Mrs. DOLE, Ms. LANDRIEU, Ms. MURKOWSKI, Mrs. LINCOLN, Mrs. CLINTON, Ms. STABENOW, and Mrs. BOXER):

S. 2519. A bill to authorize assistance for education and health care for women and children in Iraq during the reconstruction of Iraq and thereafter, to authorize assistance for the enhancement of political participation, economic empowerment, civil society, and personal security for women in Iraq, to state the sense of Congress on the preservation and protection of the human rights of women and children in Iraq, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. KENNEDY (for himself, Mr. CORZINE, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. AKAKA, and Mr. FEINGOLD):

S. 2520. A bill to provide for paid sick leave to ensure that Americans can address their own health needs and the health needs of their families; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Ms. COLLINS:

S. 2521. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on certain rayon staple fibers; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. CORZINE:

S. 2522. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to increase the maximum amount of home loan guaranty available under the home loan guaranty program of the Department of Veterans Affairs, and for